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SIR:

Please find an Amendment transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the office action dated September 10, 2004, for which a response period expiring on December 10, 2004 was set. The extended period expires on January 10, 2005.

Please charge the \$120.00 extension fee and any additional fees required to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.

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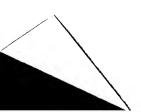
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